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Inventor/Application Identifier: **Kiyohiko TAKAGI et al.**

For: **DRY ETCHING METHOD**

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 2 sheets of drawings (☒ formal ☐ informal size A4).
- ☒ 14 pages of specification, including claims and abstract.
- ☒ 16 total pages

- ☒ Combined Declaration/Power of Attorney
 - ☒ Newly executed
 - ☐ Copy from prior application
 - ☐ Inventors deleted; see attached statement
 - ☐ Inventor Information Sheet
- ☐ Incorporation By Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein
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☐ Small Entity Status is asserted

☐ Applicant hereby claims the benefit of the filing date of the following provisional application(s) under the provisions of 35 USC 119.

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Japan Appln. No. 2000-190716, filed June 26, 2000

☐ This is a ☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-Part of prior application Serial No. _____.

☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
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